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ONE CENT.

HAVE MANY MASTERS.

Street Car Conductors' Have a Very Hard Path to Travel With a Dozen Bosses.

THE TRANSFERS MAKE TROUBLE

No Tickets are Issued When Passengers Want to Be Transferred to the Great Windy.

Eighteen hours a day now constitutes a day's work for the St. Joseph & Benton Harbor street railway conductors. At least a few of them have been putting in that time for several days past.

A majority of the old conductors are being laid off, but for what reason it has not been explained to some of them who were turned away a week ago. A green conductor is a poor thing for the company and the old men remaining are being worked to full capacity.

"It was the spotter who got us fired," said one of the old conductors today, "and the spotter was thoroughly unacquainted in the city. There are at least 150 people in the two towns who ride on passes and of course the fare register makes no account of these."

"There is another thing which is unfair with the conductor. There are about a dozen people whom the conductor must obey. For instance Dr. Keith will bring a party of friends and put them on the car and instruct the conductor to collect no fares of them; Lady Keith will bring other friends and the same gift of passing people without passes is accorded Nannie Bean, young William Worth Bean, Mrs. Bean, Superintendent Mason, Secretary Hull and of course the old colonel himself. A spotter gets on the car and looks at the register and then counts the passengers. Of course the register and the number do not tally, but what can the conductor do."

"I have come to the conclusion that a conductor who wants to hold his job on the road must pay cash out of his own pocket for every deadhead carried and then his register would always be right. This is what the company evidently would like."

"Another thing that is wrong is the transfer system in vogue at the new addition in St. Joe. When passengers are transferred from one car to another they are given no transfer ticket but the only evidence the conductor has is the word of the passenger."

The investigations of the charges are conducted by Mr. Bean himself, and he conducts them the same as he transacts all his other business—talks like a house afire and allows the accused to listen but never get in a word. The colonel took a trip to Ohio last week as he was worried over his supply of coal and the investigations into the charges against the suspended conductors have been postponed.

CARNIVAL OF FLOWERS.

It Was Given on the Lawn of C. C. Sweet Last Night.

A large crowd assembled on the lawn of C. C. Sweet, Britain avenue, last night to witness the Carnival of Flowers which was given under the auspices of the Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church.

The entertainment consisted of marches by little girls, songs, selections by The Evening News Boys' band, members of which appeared later as the "Pokey County Band" and created much merriment, especially Drum Major Northrup. Miss Sarah Cary sang and danced to the delight of the spectators. The closing feature of the program was the cake walk. The cake was won by Master Eddie Tutton and little Miss Gridley.

The affair was a success and deserves repetition.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.

It Will Go Up the River Next Wednesday Night.

The Evening News Boys' band will give a moonlight excursion on the steamer Tourist next Wednesday evening. The boat will leave the dock in this city at 8 o'clock and will run up to the new railroad bridge. The fare for the round trip is 25 cents.

Good music and a good time are every day features of the Summer Garden.

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New methods, new styles and low prices are all found at I. O. Perring's photograph gallery, 129 Pipestone street, ground floor.

A GOOD STORY.

It Only Lacked the Minor Essential of Truth.

Jack Wenman, the famous story teller, rushed into THE NEWS office yesterday afternoon much excited and from his lips fell this story:

"This morning at 8 o'clock Pap Scott and Dave Brown had a friendly jangle on Water street. Brown was carrying a dozen of eggs in a paper sack and to convince Scott that it was all in fun he threw one of the eggs at Mr. Scott and struck him square between the eyes. The crowd roared and Brown slung another egg taking Scott in the same place. Then Brown started to walk away and Scott grabbed from his hand the sack of eggs and Brown caught one egg after another until his clothes looked like a dish of uncooked scrambled eggs. Milt Hinkley was so overcome at the sight that he lay down on the sidewalk to laugh."

Mr. Hinkley was afterwards asked what he knew about the story and he replied that it was a good story but there was no truth in it.

ABOUT THE COUNTY.

West Sodus.

WEST. SODUS, July 28.—This week will about finish berry picking in this locality.

Mrs. L. J. King will remain on the homestead left her by her husband and keep Chicago borders.

Mrs. J. E. Harvey attended church in Benton Harbor last Sunday.

The young people's Christian endeavor meeting at the Bethel church was led last Sunday night by Miss Peterson.

The Saints or Sanctifiers hold meetings once a week at the residence of Mrs. Mary Stump.

Coloma.

COLOMA, July 28.—Business men here see an increase in their summer trade since the Benton Harbor, Coloma & Paw Paw lake road was built. It is estimated that from \$5,000 to \$6,000 is now spent here by people camping at the lake.

Mrs. Adams, the woman who created some excitement last winter by falling

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heir to an estate of \$47,000 in England, has again been heard from. She explains that the delay was caused by the death of one of the heirs and that now she will receive a portion of the estate intended for the dead heir.

Kettig's horse and dog show is entertaining people at Maplewood park this week.

The boarding house of John Kelley was damaged \$25 or \$30 by fire. He was insured in the Berrien county mutual association.

The Paw Paw lake railroad company will haul 250 loads of ice this year for which they will receive \$1.50 per car. This in addition to an increased passenger traffic will make the road a little bonanza in the way of dividends.

Probate Court.

Estate of Alfred P. Eastman, deceased, Freeman Franklin, administrator, filed and settled his final accounts as such and an order of distribution of said estate was entered by the court.

Estate of Deliverance M. Fisher, deceased, the final account of John J. Murphy as administrator was filed and settled and there being no estate to distribute he was discharged from the trust.

Estate of Catherine Boughton, deceased, John C. St. Clair and Charles H. Moulton, commissioners appointed to hear claims against said estate, have filed their report showing claims amounting to \$642.48 allowed by them.

STAY AT HOME.

George F. Sonner's Advice to Would-be Alaska Gold Seekers.

George F. Sonner advises young men against going to the Klondike. He says a person may as well remain at home as start for that region with less than \$1,000 and with \$1,000, Mr. Sonner says, a young man at home has nine chances of enriching himself where he has one in Alaska.

Mr. Sonner has carefully considered the advisability of leaving a business in this country to mine gold in Alaska, and from the reports published of the condition of things in the gold country he is inclined to discourage those who would seek the fabulous riches promised them in the Klondike. "There may be gold there," said Mr. Sonner, "but only a few of the many who go there will return with the yellow metal." He portrays a gloomy picture of the hardships to be experienced there.

Not only will the climate and the scarcity of provisions make life painfully earnest, but the prevalence of gamblers, thugs and cut-throats assures a troubled experience for the honest young man.

"I will agree to take 10 young men with a capital of \$1,000 each and engage them in the retail peanut business in Benton Harbor and at the end of five years I will show as a result their business a larger gain than the 10 young men with \$1,000 each who go to the Klondike can possibly show," was an opinion expressed by Mr. Sonner. The chances of winning a fortune in the Alaskan gold field are so rare that Mr. Sonner is surprised that there are so many who are disposed to face the hardships and court death and financial ruin for a reward so uncertain.

A PRETTY VOYAGE.

It Is Found by Boat from St. Joseph to Yellow Creek.

There is no prettier or more rejuvenating a voyage than is found by the river steamer Tourist that plies between St. Joseph and Yellow Creek. This handsome river boat is doing her first season's work, being built last winter by Drake & Wallace. She is intended especially for the comfort of tourists and considering that she has so lately been introduced to the public she is doing an excellent business.

The Tourist makes three trips per day to Yellow Creek, one of the most charming picnic grounds on the St. Joseph river. She leaves St. Joseph on her first trip at 9 o'clock and Benton Harbor at 9:15 in the morning and in the afternoon at 2 and 4:30 o'clock. The last trip is truly delightful. The sun has sunk until the heat of its rays have lost their penetrating powers and the cool, odor-laden air of the fields and forests along the river send a thrill of happiness through the heart.

Winding in a serpentine course the boat is first hugging the left bank than the right; now it plows along in the center of the channel, its great stern wheel kicking up billows that rise three feet into the air and then gradually dwindle away until they are mere ripples when they reach the shore. It glides along in the shadow of high banks and then emerges into an open area where the shores slope gently to the water's edge and are covered with a dense growth of reeds.

Every foot of the voyage from St. Joseph to Yellow Creek brings into view new and interesting landscapes. There are wooded islands with foliage so dense that you cannot penetrate further than a few feet from shore, and then the pine-clad cliffs at Royalton Heights appeal to you with a peculiar force, and you gaze with delight upon the grandeur nature there unfolds. Every turn in the river brings to view new scenes each of which has a peculiar characteristic to recommend it.

But perhaps the most beautiful picture is at the end of the journey, Yellow Creek. That place is sought by picnic parties because of the huge forest trees and the velvety lawn their boughs shelter. The river there is pretty and every feature of the place suggests that nature intended it for a resting place for her tired creatures.

Yellowstone Lake.

"There is an individuality about lakes. Perhaps the most striking thing about Yellowstone lake is its high altitude. It is up among the mountains and clouds in Yellowstone park nearly a mile and a half—7,741 feet—above where the sportive summer girl sits on the beach at the Atlantic ocean while the lazy wavelets ripple about her dainty toes. But as high as it is the mountains rise higher still by thousands of feet. In a solemn, owl-like fashion they blink down at the lake, and the lake blinks back at them. These mountains are well defined peaks, and cones, and turrets, and nearly all are named. Some of them are in this way redolent of the old explorers, the men who first braved the perils and difficulties of an unknown, untrodden wilderness. Such are Colter peak and Mount Doane."

The above is taken from "Wonderland '97," a beautiful new Tourist book published by the Northern Pacific railway. It will be mailed to any address upon receipt of six cents in stamps by CHAS. S. FEE, Gen'l Pass. agent, St. Paul, Minn.

Special Notice to Water Takers.

Users of city water will take notice that it is a violation of the rules to use a hose without a nozzle for sprinkling or other purposes, and no nozzle so used must be larger than 3-16 inch. Several complaints have been laid before the clerk of the water department and in every case of violation of this rule hereafter reported the water will be cut off and a charge of \$5 will be levied for the same. By the City Engineer.

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 Office, 142 Pipestone Street.
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 By mail—One year, \$2.50 in advance; one month, 25c
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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1897.

HANDBILL NUISANCE.
 Nearly every day men or boys are scattering handbills and circulars broadcast over the streets and disfiguring the appearance of the streets and also the adjoining lawns. And the practice is growing rather than diminishing.

The attention of the council is called to the handbill nuisance. In other cities there are ordinances against such a use of the public thoroughfares and the people of Benton Harbor are entitled to protection from this nuisance. Besides littering up the streets the handbills flying in the wind are excellent instruments to frighten horses and cause runaways.

Legitimate business houses advertise their goods through the newspapers and it is only the cheap john stores which resort to the advertising methods of half a century ago. The safety of the public and the appearance of the public streets are worth more than the friendship of the traveling medicine men who want to advertise their cheap remedies in a cheap fashion.

Keep the handbill fiend off the street!

GOVERNOR Pingree has now announced that **Colonel John Atkinson** of Detroit will be a candidate to succeed **Julius C. Burrows** in the United States senate. Besides fighting the Pingree machine in the state Mr. Burrows will have difficulty to explain his vote on the lumber, hide and sugar schedule of the Dingley law.

The city of Saginaw has won its fight against the street railway company. The bondholders have given bonds to pay the city the large sum which the company owes the city for paying. A fight carried along the same lines here would bring the Bean road to terms.

EXTEND THE PIERS.
Capt. Townsend's Recommendation for St. Joseph Harbor.

WASHINGTON, July 28—The report of **Captain C. McD. Townsend**, in charge of improvements on Lake Michigan is in. A detailed description of the work done on the St. Joseph harbor, and the request of Congressman **Hamilton** for a survey to pave the way for an extension of the piers to deep water has been apparently considered. At any rate, the engineer says the bar can never be kept out of the channel unless the piers are extended. The present plan of improvement, as already approved, contemplates some extension of the piers, but probably not enough to meet the necessities of the case. On the St. Joseph river, from Benton Harbor to Berrien Springs only \$12.45 was spent the past year, to maintain a three foot channel.

A Ticket to the Gold Field.
 The Dowagiac News thus advertises: "The News office desires to sell railroad transportation to those intending to go to Alaska. The tickets can be used only by the person whose name appears on the back, and is good for transportation over the Starve & Freeze to Death in Dog Days railway. A handsome morocco bound pamphlet, entitled, "How to Become a Millionaire in 12 Hours," will be given to each purchaser of one of our tickets."

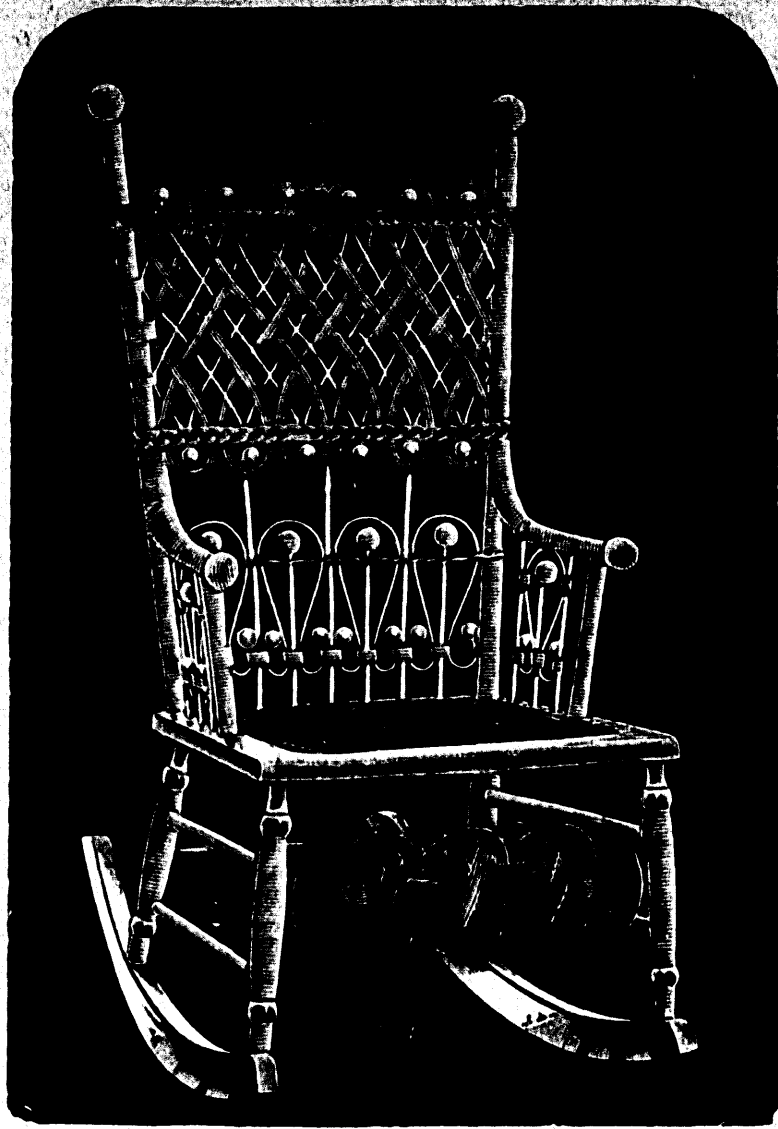
A Bell Manager Arrested.
 Manager Seltz of the Bell telephone company in Detroit has been arrested for molesting the wires of the independent company. Seltz claims he is not guilty.

\$100 Reward \$100.
 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
 Sold by Druggists, 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Piano Tuning.
 A. O. T. Astenius will be in Benton Harbor on his regular trip about July 28. Please leave orders as usual at the residence of Mrs. F. B. Cary or postoffice, general delivery. 124554

For picture frames in new and artistic designs go to Jackson E. Rice, 124

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Will buy a better rocker than this, larger and roll edge.
CALL AND SEE IT
Solid Oak Cane Seat Chairs at \$4.50 per set.
Do not work "over time" trying to match our prices.
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 July 29, via Detroit and the Wabash R. R.
 August 5, via Detroit and the Michigan Central R. R.
 August 12, via Detroit and the Grand Trunk Ry.
 All tickets good to return leaving Niagara Falls not later than five days from and including date of sale. Rate from Benton Harbor will be \$6.75. Ask agents for full information or address
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Eastman Springs Water.
Lamb & Ayers are now delivering Eastman Springs water anywhere in the two cities. Leave orders with F. S. Hopkins, druggist, or Michael & Beeny, grocers.

George W. Grant, Coloma, sells the Katie Putnam cigar. 502c26

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Nate Gifford's hack makes all trains

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Fifty cents and \$1 for one week only. Prof. Keane, eminent medium and palmist, calls names, dates etc., 218 Pipestone street. 558t6

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Dr. Van C. Garratt and Dr. E. N. Hilborn are working up an extensive business all over this county by the high class of work they are doing. They are in the following towns as follows: Sodus, Tuesdays; Eau Claire, Wednesdays; Berrien Springs, Thursdays and Coloma Saturdays.

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Nate Gifford for fine rigs.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

BARNUM & Bailey's big circus August 7.

FRAZELL'S band will run an excursion to South Haven next Sunday.

MOONLIGHT excursion up the river tonight. Boat leaves here at 8 o'clock.

CONSTABLE Fye, as a result of his advertisement in THE NEWS, has found his pocket book, lost recently.

POSTERS advertising the Young Peoples' picnic to be held in Berrien Springs August 4 have been put up in this city.

CORNELL Concert company will give a change of program tonight and every night this week. Saturday afternoon, matinee.

CHARLES H. Babcock is suffering from a queer affliction on one of his big toes which is very painful and may necessitate the amputation of the toe.

A. E. DROUGHT of Kissimmee, Fla., is at Hotel Higbee and is offering for sale desirable land in the state of flowers and sunshine at from \$1 per acre up. See his advertisement in THE NEWS today.

DR. Oviatt wishes it to be known that she has a fine horse and buggy for sale, the same can be seen at Conkey's livery barn. The doctor is compelled to leave Benton Harbor on account of ill health.

KALAMAZOO News: Captain John Ihling thinks the broadening of the gauge of the South Haven and Eastern railway means that that road will soon become part of the connecting link between Kalamazoo and Benton Harbor.

AGENT Mahoney locked a hobo in a refrigerator car last night and informed him that he could get out when the car reached St. Paul. The tramp yelled so that someone enlisted an officer to release him. Benton Harbor is a tramp's paradise.

The steamer Tourist will run an excursion up the river tonight and everyone is cordially invited. The Evening News boys' band is giving this excursion for the purpose of aiding them in procuring uniforms. Tickets can be procured of the band boys or at this office.

"Tip" a favorite dog owned by Rev. F. Mulcahey, of Benton Harbor, was poisoned a few days ago. The why and wherefore of Tip's untimely departure is unexplainable as he was a faithful retainer in defense of his master's valuables (?) and on general principles catered to the good will of all.

J. A. SIMON will star with a company through the western states this winter. He will play Seattle and other cities on the coast and it is probable that he will take his company to Dawson City in the spring. If that opera house scheme was worked a little faster it would be possible to keep Jake here.

The excursion to Warsaw given under the auspices of Ivy Leaf camp, Modern Woodman, left over the Big Four this morning, accompanied by Frazell's military band. There were nine coaches fairly well filled with Benton Harbor and St. Joseph people and the train stops at all stations between here and Niles.

The only remaining cistern used to furnish water before the city water works were built is located at the corner of Vineyard and Pipestone streets. Today Street Commissioner Shankland built a new curb about the cistern. The receptacle was built years ago by Richard Duval and cost \$300. It is 16 feet across and now holds 13 feet of water which is so clear that the bottom can be plainly seen. All the other fire cisterns in the city have been filled up.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—S. W. Barker returned this morning from Chicago.

—H. W. Williams of South Haven is in the city on business.

—Mrs. Emil Gilberg and little son, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Bert Huffsteter for a few days.

—J. A. Courtright, S. T. Blizzard and C. E. Congill, officials of the Big Four, are in the city today.

—Will Hancock, bill clerk for the Graham & Morton transportation company, left today for his home in Saugatuck to spend his summer vacation.

—Prof. E. A. Wilson, superintendent of the city schools, and president of the state board of education, has returned from Northern Michigan and is now in Detroit letting the contract for the steam heating apparatus at the new state school building at Petoskey.

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SAD STORY OF A LIFE.

Charles Patch, Once Rich, Is Now a Traveling Berry Picker.

WHISKEY WROUGHT HIS RUIN.

Constable R. C. Sinsabaugh Knew Him When He Was a Wealthy Merchant.

Three years ago a shabbily dressed and forlorn-looking man, whose appearance denoted him to be a wanderer called at the home of Constable R. C. Sinsabaugh, Ogden avenue, and called for the loan of 25 cents. He received the money and went away. Last night the officer met the same man upon the streets. A look of recognition was exchanged and with the hearty salutation, "hello, Dick," the man approached Mr. Sinsabaugh and gave his hand a vigorous shake.

"Well, Charlie, where have you been since I saw you three years ago?" was the first query propounded by Constable Sinsabaugh.

"I haven't been far away," was the reply, uttered with a tinge of pathos in the words.

The meeting of the two men was significant. They were friends 20 years ago at Towanda, Pa. Mr. Sinsabaugh was deputy sheriff at the time and Charles Patch, the name of the humble berry-picker, was a wealthy wholesale grocer. He was in business with his brother and the two owned and controlled a business worth \$100,000. Charles Patch was a particular friend of Robert A. Packer, then the president of the Lehigh Valley railway. He belonged to the same club, took outings with him and was a close companion of the railway magnate.

Today Charles Patch is picking berries for Peter J. Daley near this city. He has no money, no clothes, no friends and is a drunkard. His companions are among tramps and with them he has traveled from city to city begging, stealing, sleeping in box cars and partaking of all the hardships of tramp life. His fall from a position of wealth, power and influence to the level of a tramp was caused by his insatiable appetite for rum. With him drinking is a disease and of the thousands of victims he is one of the most unfortunate.

He had a happy family when Mr. Sinsabaugh knew him in the Pennsylvania town. He is now alone in the world. He is 50 years old, but he looks much older. The stamp of dissipation is portrayed in every feature. It was between 1860 and 1872 that he managed his extensive grocery business in Towanda, and the circumstance which dated the beginning of his acquaintance with Officer Sinsabaugh was his arrest with a party of rich friends for violating the fish and game law. The members of the party anticipated arrest, but they were willing to pay fines to enjoy their own peculiar way of fishing. Their arrest was made by Mr. Sinsabaugh, and three years ago when Charles Patch called on the officer here he recalled the circumstance.

After fast living had brought ruin to the business of Patch brothers Charles became a wanderer and since 1872 he had been without a home and without friends. He drifted into Benton Harbor three years ago and hearing Constable Sinsabaugh's name mentioned he learned his address and called on him. He was destitute and hungry and as night was approaching when he reached the officer's home he was invited to remain until morning. He declined the invitation and with the 25 cents given him he departed. Not until last night did he again appear. He was urged to accompany the officer home, but still having some pride, he refused. He is not disposed to talk over the scenes of his early life and with a few common place utterances he bade Mr. Sinsabaugh good bye and went back to the berry fields.

Remember the Cornell concert Co. tonight.

FINANCIAL AID.

Effort to Assist the Y. M. C. A. is Inaugurated.

A thorough and systematic canvass has been mapped out and is being pushed in the interests of the Young Men's Christian association of this city.

Financial Secretary Scott and General Secretary Arford are pushing the work with encouraging success. The work is receiving hearty support from the many friends visited.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Robins Pennell contributes to The Century an article on "Play in London." After speaking of Vauxhall Gardens and Cremorne Mrs. Pennell says:

Everybody knows what the old garden was like—Thackeray has seen to that—with the hundred thousand lamps always lighted, the fiddlers who made ravishing melodies, the singers, the dancers, the Mme. Saquis on the slack rope ascending to the stars, the hermit in the illuminated hermitage, the dark walks so favorable to lovers, the pots of stout, the dinners and suppers—in a word, the sort of combination of cafe, music hall, restaurant and Fourth of July that nowhere else has been brought to such perfection; that to Sir Roger had seemed long before Thackeray's day "a kind of Mohammedan paradise."

But what everybody does not know so well is that London still has its garden, called by another name, to be sure, ignored by Murray and Baedeker and offering another programme, Mme. Saquis and hermits gone from it apparently forevermore, but precisely the same in principle and practice. Vauxhall has vanished; Cremorne sends up no more rockets skyward to all the night with beauty; the Crystal palace is only for the suburb and the country cousin, but every summer Earl's court has its exhibition—an exhibition only by courtesy, only out of deference to the present fashion of gathering our knowledge or pretending to while we play. One year it was called Italian, and there were macaroni and chianti in the restaurants, and a nice new pasteboard forum. Another year it was German, and the air was heavy with the fragrance of schnitzel and wurst. Then it was American, for a change, and cowboys and red Indians swaggered across the scene, and soda water and maple sugar figured on the menu. Now it happens to be Indian, with a fine oriental flavor, but by the time this is published it will be something else, and it really matters very little. The exhibition, attributed to any nation, would be as gay. Nobody cares, perhaps, a few tradesmen and summers, who smell the commercial battle from afar. It is an open secret that the semblance of a show is there merely to court avoidance. The years in passing have turned it into a big bazaar, but not even in this guise can it prove the chief attraction.

No; the great thing, the only thing, that counts is the garden, where one may walk under pleasant trees; where one may ape the continental and drink tea or coffee at little tables—but mostly tea, in capacious pots—to the accompaniment of thick slabs of cake; where one may be still more un-English and eat one's dinner outdoors—not like a wild beast in a cage, as in the old "box" at Vauxhall, but in company, on a low, broad veranda, where there are side shows more diverting than Poppa ever dreamed of; where one may loaf away the summer evening, listening to music which is at least as good as the honest Briton likes it. For the truth is the garden furnishes just that form of amusement which Mr. Henry James has lamented was not to be found in London, and so long as it is open one need not, as he thought, "give up the idea of going to sit somewhere in the open air, to eat an ice and listen to a band of music." Only the amusement must be shared with so big a crowd that one will have to scramble for a chair, engage a dinner table full 12 hours beforehand, and struggle to get home by underground or bus as furiously as the mob fights to push into the pit of a popular theater.

To provide the Englishman with a crowd, to give him the chance to use his elbows, is to convince him that he is enjoying himself. And the old garden's questionable features, its revelers, its jockeys and courtesans and gamblers—where are they? Where are the mews of yesterday? All gone with other times and other morals. The world of Earl's court and Kensington has taken the exhibition under its protection, and there sits in stately splendor a magnificent example of respectability, within an inclosure humorously called the "Welcome club, because admission is refused to all but the elect. Where the west end condescends to spend its afternoons and evenings there surely every one may venture in safety by night as by day. Indeed there is a strong domestic element about the exhibition. It is a place for the family, a playground for the decorous.

Our Queer Language. It is little wonder that foreigners are in despair in learning to speak the English language. One of the greatest difficulties is the way in which the same syllabic sounds have often very different meanings.

"You'll get run in," said the pedestrian to the wheelman without a light. "You'll get run into," savagely retorted the cyclist as he knocked the pedestrian down and ran up his spine. "You'll get run in, too," said the policeman as he stepped from behind a tree and grabbed the wheel.

And just then another scroober came along without a light, so the policeman was in two.—Exchange.

At the beginning of the present century the Bible could be studied by only one-fifth of the earth's population. Now it is translated into languages which are accessible to nine-tenths of the world's inhabitants.

It is now used in China only by one-fifth of the population.

When I have time, the friend I love so well, I'll lead her feet in pleasant paths always. And cheer her heart with words of sweetest praise, When I have time.

When you have time! The friend you hold so dear, May be beyond the reach of your intent, May never know that you so kindly meant To fill her life with such sweet content, When you had time.

Now is the time. Ah, friend, no longer wait To scatter loving smiles and words of cheer To those around whose lives are now so drear! They may not meet you in the coming year— When you have time.

—Philadelphia Times.

THE CUMFOO DANCE.

One of the Popular Pastimes of the Negroes in Demerara.

The negro has undoubtedly a very strong inclination to sleep in the day and to spend the night in gossip, dancing or singing. On this account he is often a nuisance to his neighbors, especially when he has a wake. As his home is often nothing more than a single room about eight feet square, the funeral party is conducted in the open yard. Here congregate 50 to 100 people, who begin the entertainment with hymns, going on after midnight to songs and games and often winding up toward morning with a free fight. Then there is the cumfoo dance, one of the finest institutions in the world for producing nightmare. Two men beat drums with the hands, the one instrument producing a tumtum and the other a rattle rattle, almost without intermission during the whole night. At intervals of about a minute the party utters a weird cry in some African language which startles you as you lie in bed vainly trying to sleep. As hour after hour passes your house appears to vibrate, the bed shakes and your spine feels as if made up of loose segments. How can the drummers keep this up for ten hours? And the dancers? With the latter exhaustion alternates with the renewal of the orgy; one set falls down and another takes its place. This and other dances are connected with obeah, the witch cult of the African.

Every negro and most of the colored people have an innate fear of the obeah man, however they may deny it to the whites. One of the latest developments of this superstition was brought to my notice a short time ago in connection with a cricket match. The East Coast Invincibles and the Admirable Creolians were to play a match, and from a few words dropped by the captain of the latter it appears that he was sure of victory to his side because a notable obeah man had oiled their bat.—Saturday Review.

A Mother's Argument.

"The most to be regretted act of my life," says a lieutenant commander of the navy, "was a letter I wrote to my mother when about 17 years of age. She always addressed her letters to me as 'my dear boy.' I felt at that time I was a man, or very near it, and wrote saying that her constant addressing me as a 'boy' made me feel displeased. I received in reply a letter full of reproaches and tears. Among other things she said: 'You might grow to be as big as Goliath, as strong as Samson, and as wise as Solomon; you might become ruler of a nation, or emperor of many nations, and the world might revere you and fear you, but to your devoted mother you would always appear, in memory, in your innocent, unpretentious, unself-conceited, unpanpered babyhood. In those days when I washed and dressed and kissed and worshiped you, you were my idol. Nowadays you are becoming part of a gross world by contact with it, and I cannot bow down to you and worship you, but if there are manhood and maternal love transmitted to you, you will understand that the highest compliment that mother love can pay you is to call you 'my dear boy.'"

No Quail For Him.

"Quail, villain!" He pointed his trusty shooting iron at the head of the man who had been treating the beautiful maiden to a job lot of general wickedness ever since the curtain went up. "At last I have thee, Quail!" But, contrary to the direction in act 3, scene 2, the villain stood his ground. "Quail, I tell thee! Why dost not quail?" "Can't risk it on 30 bob a week," quoth the villain, with a defiant sneer saved over from the first act, "because, forsooth, quail is legally out of season, and I see a gamekeeper in the audience."

Then he kicked over an Alp, waded through the bay of Naples, fell into the thunder and only stopped in his mad flight to remark to the manager that an actor with a reputation must decline to play on that stage, as there were flies on it.—Pearson's Weekly.

Why He Wanted an Autograph.

Recently a young man wrote to William Dean Howells for his autograph. The novelist replied in a typewritten line:

"Have you bought my last book?" The young man answered: "I have not. I want to sell your autograph in order to get money enough to buy it."—Atlanta Constitution.

Sir Christopher Wren, the architect of St. Paul's cathedral, London, was buried in that majestic pile, and the visitor is enlightened by his epitaph, thus, "Si monumentum queris, circumspice" (If you ask for his monument, look round).

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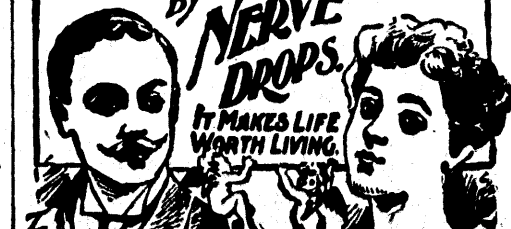
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Account of the Pine Lake Assembly, at La Porte, Ind. Aug. 12 to 22, 1897.

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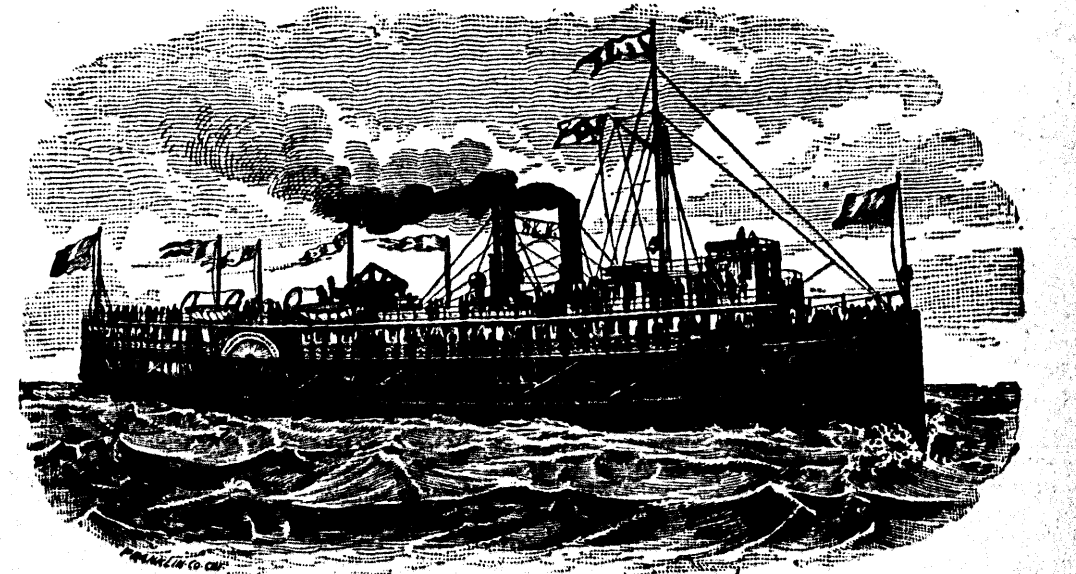
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1:00 p. m. daily ex Sat. & Sun	4:30 p. m. daily	8:30 p. m. daily	9:30 a. m. daily	1:30 p. m. daily	5:30 p. m. daily
8:30 p. m. daily	10:30 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	11:30 a. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	8:30 a. m. daily
Inc. Sunday	Inc. Sunday	12:00 noon Sat. day only	Inc. Sunday	8:00 p. m. Sunday only	Inc. Sunday
7:00 a. m. Sat. day only	8:00 a. m. Sat. day only	10:00 p. m. Sunday only	10:00 a. m. Sat. day only	8:00 p. m. Sat. day only	7:00 p. m. Sat. day only

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WEST MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY In effect June 27, 1897.

Going South	Stations	Going North
8:35 a. m.	St. Joseph	8:35 a. m.
11:35 a. m.	Grand Rapids	11:35 a. m.
1:35 p. m.	Benton Harbor	1:35 p. m.
3:10 p. m.	St. Joseph	3:10 p. m.
5:10 p. m.	Chicago	5:10 p. m.
7:30 p. m.	Grand Rapids	7:30 p. m.
9:30 p. m.	Benton Harbor	9:30 p. m.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

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VANDALIA.

Taking effect June 23, 1897. Southbound Trains.

Stations	No. 17	No. 15	No. 3	No. 5
St. Joseph Lv.	6:30 p.	5:30 p.	11:00 a.	3:35 a.
South Bend	7:50	6:50	12:20 p.	4:40
Louisport	10:00	9:00	2:20 p.	6:45
Terre Haute	6:30	5:30	4:44 a.	3:15 p.
Indianapolis	7:10 a.	1:00	5:45 p.	10:30 a.

Northbound Trains. St. Joseph Arr. No. 6 2:00 p. No. 2 12:00 p. No. 14 9:35 a. No. 16 10:30 a. South Bend 12:45 10:50 8:20 9:10 Louisport 10:31 a. 8:42 6:10 7:00 Terre Haute 6:30 5:30 4:44 a. 3:15 p. St. Louis 10:30 p. 1:00 7:10 a. 5:15

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And the Ship-Building Companies Will Probably Follow Suit and the Big Ships Can Wait—Indiana Has to Go to Halifax To Be Docked—Treasury Official Speaks a Good Word for the Tariff Bill as a Revenue Raiser.

Washington, July 28.—The armor-producing companies having declined to furnish the navy department the armor needed for the three battleships now building at the price of \$300 per ton fixed by congress, Secretary Long has taken the second step in the line marked out by congress, and has called upon the shipbuilding companies themselves to submit proposals for procuring and fitting the armor. One of them, the Union Iron works, of San Francisco, has already responded declining the department's invitation. There is little doubt that the others will make a like answer, although there is a small chance that some of the shipbuilders may combine to secure the control of one of the plants which the armor makers profess their readiness to sell and turn out the armor they need for the ships in their hands. If, however, as is expected, all of the shipbuilders' replies are unfavorable, Secretary Long will proceed one step further and appoint a board of officers to carry out the direction of congress and frame a plan for the establishment of a government armor plant.

Must Dock in British Waters.

Secretary Long has decided to send the battleship Indiana to Halifax to be docked and cleaned. It is felt to be necessary to do this in order to prevent injury to the hull of the ship from corrosion. The department would have much preferred to send the Indiana to Port Royal, S. C., for this purpose, but the opinion of the best navigators in the navy department was that it would be decidedly risky in the present unsatisfactory condition of the approaches to the dock there. While the naval officers naturally deplore the necessity for thus sending our finest ship to a foreign dock they say the practice is not new or uncommon. She will not be fitted with bilge keels at Halifax. This work must wait until the repairs are complete at the New York dock, a work which it is estimated will consume a year.

SOLDIERS FOR THE GOLD FIELDS.

The Question Arises: What Authority Will They Have When There?

Washington, July 28.—The principal topic of discussion at yesterday's cabinet meeting was the legal aspect of the proposed establishment of a military post in Alaska near the gold fields. In some quarters there is doubt as to the power of the executive to establish a post without specific authorization by congress, but the weight of opinion appeared to favor the exercise of such right by the executive as an emergency measure. Secretary Alger has already made the necessary preparations for carrying out at once the plans to establish the post. The commander of the troops will be Captain P. H. Ray, a man well equipped in experience for the duty.

But it has been discovered now that legal complications may yet intervene to prevent the detail. These complications presented themselves as soon as the subject was first broached, and have been the source of some annoyance to the officials, who feel that a law-preserving body of men is essential to the well-being of the people who are flocking to the gold country. No doubt appears to be entertained of the power of the president to send a company of soldiers, but the question raised is just what authority they will have after being located there. Can they be ordered out to quell disturbance without an order from the president? Can the judge of a court or a marshal be clothed with authority to dispatch the soldiers to the scene of trouble? Even if this power rested with the governor of Alaska he is located at Sitka, a great distance from the gold region, and by the time his authority could be obtained the harm would be done.

AMERICAN PRISONERS IN CUBA.

But Ten, Including the Men Taken on the Competitor.

Washington, July 28.—Consul General Lee has informed the state department that in the event of the release of the American Louis Somellán, now confined in jail at Havana, there will remain of American citizens imprisoned in Cuba in addition to the five competitor prisoners only the following: Manuel Fernandez, confined in Fort Cabanas; Rafael Fernandez y Diaz, at Sangua la Grande, and Julio Tomas Sainz and Frank A. Gramont at Santiago. All of these prisoners are charged with rebellion with arms in hand and are held subject to the ordinary military jurisdiction. The United States consul at Manzanillo has cabled the secretary of state a contradiction of the story that Albert Slusser, an American, has been captured by Spanish troops and taken to that place. He says that nothing is known of Slusser's arrest.

Howell's Opinion of the Tariff Bill.

Washington, July 28.—Assistant Secretary Howell, of the treasury department, who is in charge of customs matters, said yesterday: "The new tariff bill is particularly free from ambiguities, which—despite the most careful efforts—are liable to creep into such measures. It is a revenue producer, and in my opinion will produce at least \$185,000,000 during the present fiscal year, and I look for at least \$220,000,000 during the fiscal year 1899."

In Which Case Plaintiff Has Gail.

Eldora, Ia., July 28.—Mrs. T. J. Rick, of Eldora, was arrested Monday night by Sheriff Mitterer and brought to Eldora on the charge of attempting murder, and has been released on \$500 bail. The information was sworn to by J. W. Parks, a farmer living near Eldora, who charges the defendant with shooting at him with a revolver, the bullet severing one of the arteries in his leg from which he came bleeding to death. The defendant, Mrs. Rick, is a widow, and the alleged murder was committed at the residence of the defendant.

Likely To Be Heap Plenty in the Gold Regions.

TROOPS AND POLICE TO BE THERE.

Uncle Sam Sends a Company and the Necessaries for Comfort in That Arctic Region, and Canada Has 100 Mounted Police Ready to Keep the Diggers in Order and Collect Her Toll from the Bonanzas—Moss' Fairy Tale.

Seattle, Wash., July 28.—Captain Ray, U. S. A., with five officers and fifty-six men, will leave Seattle for Circle City, Alaska, via St. Michaels, Aug. 5. Orders have been sent to San Francisco to ship a year's supply of clothing, which will include woolen blankets, axes and all tools necessary to be used in "hutting." Twelve improved conical tents will be shipped to Seattle from Philadelphia by express. Passage has been secured by the United States officers and their men on the North American Transportation and Trading company's steamer Cleveland, which leaves Seattle Aug. 5. Each man's fare will cost the government \$150 and each ton of freight will be charged for at \$80. The Dominion government is to send eighty-five additional mounted police to the Klondyke, there being twenty-five there. The men will leave Victoria on a Pacific Steamship company boat in a few days. They will go in from Dyea, traveling light, taking provision after they get in.

Other Vessels That Will Sail.

The steamship City of Topeka will sail today from Seattle with 210 passengers. She goes only as far as Juneau, whence a majority of the passengers will branch out for the mines. The steamer Islander will sail today from Victoria for Juneau with over 200 passengers. Nearly all those going on the Islander are from Seattle. The next vessel sailing from Seattle for Dyea will be the steamer Rosalie, chartered last Saturday for two trips. Already the 150 passengers allowed by the inspectors have been booked for the Rosalie, and twenty more are hanging anxiously about the office, awaiting the chance of some one dropping out at the last moment.

An Old Hand Utters a Warning.

In an interview last night with the Associated Press correspondent L. M. Turner, who spent eleven years in Alaska and the Arctic regions in the employ of the government said: "It is about time to call a halt on this mad rush to the Klondyke fields. Hundreds of men are going as far as they can, relying on others to help them. That help will be meager enough and scores will certainly endure hardships that death alone will relieve. The transportation companies cannot possibly accommodate the number going by the way of St. Michaels. The small river steamers will not afford room for one-third the number going by that route. The provisions will have to be furnished by the transportation companies, and two-thirds of the passengers will board at St. Michaels or along the Yukon and will not see Dawson City until next spring. Many of those who go by the way of Dyea will be compelled to winter at the head of the waters of the Yukon."

ROYALTY ON KLONDYKE GOLD.

Dominion Proposes to Have Some of the Wealth That Is Dug Out.

Ottawa, Ont., July 28.—At the close of the second sitting of the cabinet last evening it was announced that the government had decided to impose a royalty on all placer diggings on the Yukon in addition to \$15 registration fee and \$100 annual assessment. The royalty will be 10 per cent. on each claim with an output of \$500 or less monthly and 20 per cent. on every claim yielding above that amount. Besides this royalty it has been decided in regard to all future claims staked out on other streams or rivers that every alternate claim should be the property of the government, and be reserved for public purposes and sold or worked by the government for the benefit of the revenue of the Dominion.

Moss Told a Gruesome Fairy Tale.

San Francisco, July 28.—Returned Yukonites deny the story told by Frank Moss, of Great Falls, Mont., to the effect that 2,000 graves at Forty-Mile post tell of the terrible sufferings of the gold seekers. F. G. Bowker says that so far from being over 2,000 deaths on the Klondyke during the past three years, there was nobody there to die until something less than a year ago, and since then there have been three deaths in that whole district, so far as known. In the graveyard at Forty-Mile post, which has served for all that section for some years past, there are only between thirty and forty graves.

Secession in the Royal League.

Chicago, July 28.—Trouble between the supreme council and advisory council of the Royal League culminated in open secession on the part of the latter body last night, when preliminary steps looking to the formation of a new fraternal organization were taken. The meeting was attended by 300 representatives of various councils in Cook county, representing 15,000 members, as well as from Elgin and two or three points in the state.

Found Dead Near the Tracks.

Clinton Junction, Wis., July 28.—John Nelson, a Swede, was found dead near the railroad tracks at this place yesterday. The circumstances point strongly to murder. His feet were crushed to a pulp, his right arm cut off and there were three ugly wounds in his head which are believed to have been made by a coupling pin. An investigation is being made.

Will Have a Railway Position.

Springfield, Ill., July 28.—Dwight C. Morgan, of Dwight, who retires as consulting engineer to the state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners on Aug. 11, will on that date succeed Richard Sloan as assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central railroad, Sloan becoming chief engineer, vice J. F. Wallace, resigned.

Larned Beats Mahoney at Tennis.

Boston, July 28.—One of the most interesting international tennis matches ever seen was played yesterday afternoon in the tournament of the Longwood Cricket club at Longwood, and resulted in a victory for the American player, Larned, over Mahoney.

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THE WEATHER.

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ST. JOSEPH.

Rev. John Kinney, of Chicago, is a guest at St. Joseph's rectory.

Adolph Reich returned this morning from a business trip to Chicago.

Montgomery Shepard returned last night from a business trip to Cleveland and Detroit.

Miss Bertha Higman will leave tomorrow morning for New York on a visit to friends.

Charles Snyder, a member of the Chicago fire department, is the guest of friends here.

Business with the Hotel St. Joseph is picking up and there is yet a promise of a successful season.

Mrs. J. Burrows, residing on Ship street is slowly recovering from a very severe attack of rheumatism.

Black bass fishing off the piers is again a popular pastime. Some fine catches were made this morning.

The masons, carpenters and painters have completed their work upon the brick addition at St. Joseph's rectory.

Mrs. Conrad Kammerer was taken very sick Sunday. Dr. Scott was summoned and signs for the better are visible.

Mrs. Newton Vandevere and Mrs. M. Shepard left this morning for Bendon where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Higmett for a week.

Joseph L. Anderson, of Livingston, and Miss Evelyn Gay, of Marcellus, were married this morning in the office of the county clerk by Justice Baldrey.

The Methodist Sunday school will give a picnic next Saturday at Old Fields on the St. Joseph river. The picnickers will be conveyed to their destination on the steamer May Graham.

A Sunday school excursion from Plymouth, Ind., came in yesterday afternoon over the Vandalia railway and boarded the steamer Tourist for an up the river trip. The excursionists were taken to Camp Voorhees and return. Arrangements had been made for a lake excursion but the lake was too rough.

A party of wheelmen including Profs. Loomis, Niz and Parker and W. F. Sasser, L. C. Fyfe, A. B. Morse, T. L. Wilkinson and Rev. Moltoberts rode to Twin Springs yesterday afternoon where they took the steamer May Graham down the river to Tabor's from which place they returned home on their wheels. This same party takes a half day's outing on their wheels every week.

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John Moody, 27, St. Joseph; Nellie Meisner, 27, same.

FARMERS BOUND TO HAVE COAL.

Offer to Protect Men Who Will Dig It for Them.

Moweaqua, Ill., July 28.—The miners were paid off yesterday and told either to load coal for the local trade or take their tools from the shaft. A desperate effort will be made to hoist coal for threshing purposes here. The farmers have offered to protect those willing to work at the risk of their lives.

All yesterday farmers came in from the country for coal, only to be disappointed. The crop of oats is very large in this section and is rarely stacked, but threshed at once.

Monday night a large body of Pan and Moweaqua miners, headed by a drum and fife corps, marched on the Assumption shaft and forced the men who were loading coal for the local trade and threshers to cease work. Yesterday morning when the whistle blew not a miner went to work. The farmers are very bitter in their denunciation of the miners, inasmuch as they have contributed to the miners' cause very liberally.

Took Some Other Things, Also.

Hilledale, Mich., July 28.—Frederick Virglen bought a ticket for Elkhart, Ind., and is supposed to have left on the 10:47 o'clock train west Sunday night. He had slept in Albaugh & Son's jewelry store since Christmas. Monday morning the safe was found opened, robbed of \$45 in cash, two gold watches and \$1,200 worth of diamonds. Three days ago Virglen remarked that he intended to take a few days' vacation if he could arrange it.

Yellowstone Lake.

"There is an individuality about lakes. Perhaps the most striking thing about Yellowstone lake is its high altitude. It is up among the mountains and clouds in Yellowstone park nearly a mile and a half—7,741 feet—above where the sportive summer girl sits on the beach at the Atlantic ocean while the lazy wavelets ripple about her dainty toes. But as high as it is the mountains rise higher still by thousands of feet. In a solemn, owl-like fashion they blink down at the lake, and the lake blinks back at them. These mountains are well defined peaks, and cones, and turrets, and nearly all are named. Some of them are in this way redolent of the old explorers, the men who first braved the perils and difficulties of an unknown, untrodden wilderness. Such are Colter peak and Mount Doane."

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Today with lactated food, better attention to proper sleep and clothing, and more careful bathing, there are few babies born that cannot be reared into sturdy manhood and womanhood. The great scourge of infant lives is cholera infantum—diarrhoea, and convulsions. All these disorders arise from excessive irritation of the intestinal tract and the loss of strength that follows diarrhoea.

Heat is but a predisposing cause of all these weakening diseases. With proper food, and there is nothing so absolutely good as lactated food, all these dangers may be avoided. Statistics show that babies thrive best on lactated food. It is worth more as a preventive of cholera infantum than all the medicines ever made.

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